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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People  
of Alexandria—Happenings  
In Society.

Mrs. Blanche Burgess, of Richmond, Ind., and James William Bryan, of Knoxville, Tenn., were married at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night at the home of Mrs. James E. King, "King Crest," Herbert Springs, Fairfax county, Va. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, of the Episcopal Seminary. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of friends of the couple from Washington, and also by the bridegroom's father, Judge Bryan. A reception followed the wedding, after which Mr. and Mrs. Bryan left on a special car for a northern bridal trip. Upon their return they will live at Mrs. King's residence for the coming year. Mr. Bryan is engaged in business in Washington.

The Alexandria Assembly has issued invitations for a dance at Elks' Hall, Friday evening, December 17. The members of the Alexandria German Club will be the guests of the assembly at this dance. The Junior Assembly has issued invitations for a dance at Elks' Hall, Wednesday evening, December 29.

Mrs. Mary Harris Armour will deliver an address on "National Prohibition" at 7:30 o'clock tonight, at Trinity M. E. Church. The meeting will be under the auspices of the National W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett will spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. William Rathbone Smith, in Edmonton, Canada. Miss Ella Waller Barrett is en route home from San Francisco, Cal.

A meeting of those interested in the community Christmas tree will be held at 8 o'clock tonight, at the residence of Mrs. Julian T. Burke, Prince street.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hawkins of Maryland are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Scott, at their home on Braddock Heights.

Mr. C. L. Watkins of West Virginia is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Watkins, on south Columbus street.

### OF INTEREST TO TAX PAYERS.

Office of City Treasurer Will Be Kept Open Until Nine O'clock Tonight.

Promptly at 9 o'clock tonight the office of City Treasurer Robinson will be closed to all who have not paid their poll taxes in time to take part in the spring primary and the summer municipal election.

Treasurer Robinson has announced that he will keep the office open until the hour given above in order to accommodate those who may be unable to get to the office earlier.

The coming election is an important one. A mayor and one half of the members of each branch of the City Council will be selected. A member of Congress from this district will also be elected, as well as the President of the United States.

Drilling for oil in Henrico county will begin in a few days.

## GRAND JURY'S REPORT

Returns True Bills in All Cases, Says That of Young Men Charged With Manslaughter

A grand jury of the corporation court, Judge L. C. Barley, presiding, convened at 10 o'clock this morning to consider six criminal indictments which were presented by Samuel G. Brent, commonwealth's attorney. They were as follows:

Ben Thompson, charged with entering the residence of Bertha Phillips, on October 3rd, with the object of committing rape.

Henry Beach, George Monroe, William M. Tomlin and Joseph M. Monroe, charged with voluntary manslaughter. Beach is charged with having struck George Craven, on the head with a blunt instrument so as to cause the latter's death, and the three others are charged with aiding and abetting him in the crime. Craven was killed October 3rd, last.

James Lightfoot, colored, charged with breaking and entering the store room of Albert Pescikie, on July 12.

William Pye, colored, charged with cutting Henry Erel on August 14.

Sandy Brooks, colored, charged with cutting Lena Brooks, on September 21.

Joseph Brooks, alias John Robinson, charged with attempting to murder, Samuel Reid, on February 19th.

The grand jury is composed of Albert Bryan, foreman; Laurence Staller, C. Page Waller, Philip M. Bradshaw, Samuel L. Monroe, E. H. Kemper, Lorenzo Wolford, Thomas B. Pullman and Courtney Acton.

At 1:30 this afternoon the grand jury returned true bills in all the above cases except that of the Commonwealth vs. Henry Beach, George and Joseph M. Monroe and William M. Tomlin. The jury was then discharged.

### CLASSES CONFIRMED.

Rt. Rev. D. J. O'Connell, Bishop of Richmond, Conducts Ceremonies.

A class of 120 was confirmed at the 7 o'clock mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church yesterday morning, by Rt. Rev. D. J. O'Connell, bishop of the diocese of Richmond. This class was composed of 103 children and seventeen adults.

The bishop preached at the 11 o'clock mass at that church.

Yesterday afternoon a class of twenty-eight was confirmed by the bishop at St. Rita's Church, Mount Ida, Alexandria county. This class was composed of twenty-one children and seven adults. A number of people from this city attended the services at St. Rita's in the afternoon.

### DEBATE PLANNED.

The Adult Department of Sunday School Association has planned an interesting debate which will be held in the Lecture room of the M. E. Church South, Tuesday evening, December 14, at 8 o'clock. There will be two speakers from the M. E. Church and two from the Second Presbyterian and Baptist Churches. The subject of discussion will be "why it is more important for men than women to go to Sunday school and is it easier for men to come than women."

Among the estimates sent to the House of Representatives last week by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo is one of \$1,867,000 for the Cape Henry fortification project.

## SNOW ARRIVES AT LAST

Begins to Fall at Early Hour this Morning and Continued Throughout The Day

The Weather Bureau predicted snow for this section during the last three days of last week. The wind took its stand in the northeast, the heavens became overcast and snow or rain seemed imminent. But while the earth was carpeted in white all around us none fell here until after midnight last night. It, however, ceased to snow before noon. The Weather Bureau predicts westerly winds for tomorrow.

Trains arriving from the north and south yesterday bore evidence of having passed through snow storms, and dispatches from different places in Virginia show that the wintry weather has been general. At Norfolk snow fell with a strong northeast wind which kept shipping in Hampton Roads. Storm warnings were ordered on the coast. The steamer Northland from Norfolk reached this port on time this morning.

The appearance of snow at this season is hailed with joy by the young and those blessed with full and plenty, gaze upon it with unconcern. It is a frigid visitor, however, to many others who have but little with which to combat weird winter.

### DEATH OF MISS FRENCH.

Deceased Was Daughter of Mr. George S. and the Late Mrs. Eliza W. H. French

Miss Georgia McComas French died yesterday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Richard Gibson, 219 south Alfred street, after a long illness. She was a daughter of George S. French and the late Mrs. Eliza William Hite French and was 27 years old. Besides her father she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Richard Gibson, of this city, and Mrs. Clarence R. Howard, of Fredericksburg, and one brother, D. Milton French, of this city.

The body was removed to the home of her father, 165 north Alfred street, from which place the funeral will take place tomorrow morning, at 11 o'clock. Services will be conducted by the Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Episcopal Church.

### OFFICERS ELECTED.

Canton Alexandria, No. 1, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., have elected the following officers: H. E. Webb, captain; G. T. Gaines, lieutenant; W. Leon Clark, ensign; A. T. Sullivan, clerk; W. E. Latham, accountant. These officers will be installed the first Thursday in January.

The following officers have been elected by Potomac Lodge, No. 38, Odd Fellows: A. T. Sullivan, noble grand; Grafton Treacy, vice-grand; N. L. Williamson, recording secretary; W. E. Latham, financial secretary; George W. Bantz, treasurer.

### NOTICE.

The members of Alexandria Council are notified to be present at the stated meeting to be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Eagles Hall south Royal street. Business, annual election of officers.

By order of Council.  
 13-21 J. F. Alexander, Secy.

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REGAL—\$4.00 \$4.50, \$5.00	RED CROSS—\$4.00, \$4.50.
OTHER FAMOUS MAKES	LINDNER—\$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.
FOR—\$2.50, \$3.00, \$2.50.	BOSTON FAVORITE—\$2.50, \$2.75 \$3
OUR SPECIAL—\$1.95	OUR SPECIAL—\$1.95

High Top Rubber Boots for Boys and Girls  
 \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00

MENS SLIPPERS.—75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00  
 WOMENS SLIPPERS.—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50  
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Lot No. 1  
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Materials—Broadcloth, poplins, chevrons, gabardines, p. stripes, and mixtures.

Colors—Green, blues, browns, black and mixtures.

Trimnings—Fur, velvet, braid and tailor stitched.

## SUITS

Lot No. 2  
**\$17.95**

Some were \$40.  
 Styles—Many are reproduction of imported models.  
 Materials—The best F and H and Botany broadcloths, unfinished worsteds, whipcords, wool poplins etc.

Colors—The most wanted shades including black.

Trimnings—Fur. Note that these furs are now very expensive.

## Third Floor 6 Elevators

Lot No. 3  
**\$26.95**

Some were \$55.  
 Styles—the last moment tailors, to be fashionable the coming spring, also English box coat and new belted and flare effects.

Materials—Chiffon, Broadcloth, chiffon velours, gabardines, whipcords and velvets.

Color—Greys, wine, field mouse, covert, brown, blues, and greens.

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